

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)

Applicant(s): Yongbin Yuan

Docket No.

1-23361

Application No. 10/812,350	Filing Date March 29, 2004	Examiner Robert Siconolfi	Customer No. 46582	Group Art Unit 3683	Confirmation No. 2687
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Invention: *Brake Component having a Coating Material Applied thereto, Method for Producing such a Brake Component and Brake Assembly Including such a Brake Component*

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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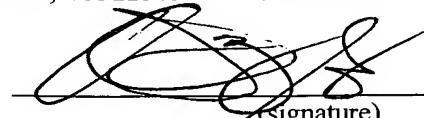
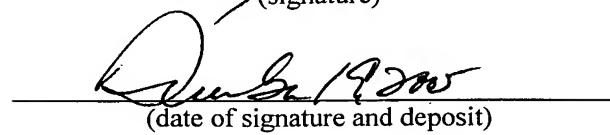
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In re Application of: )  
Yongbin Yuan et al. ) Group Art Unit 3683  
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Serial No. 10/812,350 )  
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Filed: March 29, 2004 ) Examiner Robert Siconolfi  
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For: BRAKE COMPONENT HAVING A )  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

Prior to a substantive examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as indicated on the following pages.

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